

*Image*MAIL STOP AF
Docket 83965KNM
Customer No. 01333

1634

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEIn re Application of:
Zhihao Yang, et alMETHOD FOR DNA SEQUENCING
AND GENE IDENTIFICATION

Serial No. 10/059,988

Filed 29 January 2002

Group Art Unit: 1634

Examiner: A. Chakrabarti

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited today with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Robin G. DePoint
Robin G. DePoint*January 30, 2004*
DateCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application:

 No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		* HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL	0	MINUS	20	0	X 18	\$0
INDEP	0	MINUS	0	0	X 84	\$0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ 280		\$0
					TOTAL	\$0

* The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

 Please charge my Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225 in the amount of \$0.

A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed

 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Eastman Kodak Company Deposit Account No. 05-0225

A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed

 Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

(For Extensions of Time and other Petitions to the Assistant Commissioner)


Kathleen Neuner Manne/rgd
Telephone: 585-722-9225
Facsimile: 585-477-1148Attorney for Applicants
Registration No. 40,101

83965KNM
Customer No. 01333

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Zhihao Yang, et al.

METHOD FOR DNA SEQUENCING
AND GENE IDENTIFICATION

Serial No. 10/059,988

Filed: 08 October 2003

Group Art Unit: 1634

Examiner: A. Chakrabarti

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited today with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner For Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Robin DePoint
Robin DePoint

Date

January 30, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In timely response to the Office Action dated November 5, 2003, Applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment and reconsideration of the above-identified matter in view thereof.

Please amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

